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STATUS REPORT
ON
COVERT ACTIONS IN VIETNAM
(Keyed to 28 November Report)

1. a through b: No significant change.

E0 12958 3.4(b)(1)>25Yrs E0 12958 3.4(b)(6)>25Yrs (C)

c. Para-Military/Intelligence Operations Against Viet Cong

The initial shipment of arms and support material has been delivered Additional material has arrived in Saigon and will be sent to his area on the first available transport.

d through i: No significant change.

2 through 6: No significant change.

## 7. Other Activities:

E0 12958 3.4(b)(1)>25Yrs (C) Pursuant to a presidential directive to the minister of civic action, Ngo Trong Hieu, ten civic action teams (ten men per team) are operating in the new southwest province of Chuong Thien. Additional assistance for operations in this province is being obtained.

E0 12958 3.4(b)(1)>25Yrs (C) meeting of the National Internal Security Council, 2/ January 1902, which concerned the necessity of establishing over-all coordination of the strategic hamlets programs and that review of this program be given priority over all other programs.

Ngo Dinh Nhu's policy statements

regarding the creation of strategic namlets

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